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-Cross Reference to Related Applications  
-Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R&D  
-Reference to Microfiche Appendix  
-Background of the Invention  
-Brief Summary of the Invention  
-Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)  
-Detailed Description of the Invention (including drawings, if filed)  
-Claim(s)  
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3. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) [Total Sheets 1]
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The entire disclosure of the prior applications listed in Box 17 are considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

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**Box PATENT APPLICATION**

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The following utility patent application is enclosed for filing:

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Title of Invention: GOLF BALLS CONTAINING INTERPENETRATING POLYMER NETWORKS

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